

Greater Christchurch Partnership Committee

Meeting summary Friday 6 November 2020

The vision for Greater Christchurch

By the year 2041, Greater Christchurch has a vibrant inner city and suburban centres surrounded by thriving rural communities and towns, connected by efficient and sustainable infrastructure.

There are a wealth of public spaces ranging from bustling inner city streets to expansive open spaces and parks, which embrace natural systems, landscapes and heritage.

Innovative businesses are welcome and can thrive supported by a wide range of attractive facilities and opportunities.

Prosperous communities can enjoy a variety of lifestyles in good health and safety, enriched by the diversity of cultures and the beautiful environment of Greater Christchurch.

Greater Christchurch Partnership Committee

The Greater Christchurch Partnership is a voluntary coalition of local government, iwi, health and government agencies working collaboratively for the prosperity of Greater Christchurch.

The Greater Christchurch Partnership Committee leads and coordinates the work of the Partnership.

One of the key functions of the Committee is to establish an agreed strategic framework to manage growth, and address urban development, regeneration, resilience and wellbeing matters for Greater Christchurch.

On significant matters the Committee seeks ratification from each individual partner governance.

The Committee met on 6 November 2020

The Greater Christchurch Partnership (GCP) Committee:

- Discussed the GCP Committee deputations and ongoing public engagement and agreed that the current arrangements regarding public engagement are maintained for at least this financial year.
- Received the report on the Greater Christchurch Public Transport Futures Mass Rapid Transit Business Case and discussed the problem and benefit statements, agreeing a further iteration would be brought back to the Committee in December.
- Noted the strategic role of the GCP in delivering integrated transport and land-use planning in the sub-region and the significance of Public Transport to the GCP's strategic direction and agenda. With the Public Transport Joint Committee expected to be disestablished in late November, the GCP Committee will provide governance oversight of:
 - key strategic transport issues, national policies and public transport business cases, including the Public Transport Futures Mass Rapid Transit business case;
 - development of the Regional Public Transport Plan, when required; and
 - delivery of the public transport work programme in Greater Christchurch.

Any necessary changes to the GCP Memorandum of Agreement will be incorporated as part of the general review of the GCP Memorandum of Agreement.

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